



## William Stanley Fowler

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Stanley Fowler, born and raised in Arlington and Buckland, VA, died of congestive heart failure on July 20, 2015. He proudly served in the U.S. Navy during World War II aboard the USS Quincy (CA-71), a heavy cruiser that participated in the bombardment of the coast of Normandy on D-Day. He was an avid golfer, gardener and Redskins fan, and could fix anything with duct tape or WD-40. He served as a Clarendon volunteer fireman and worked for Nabisco for over 30 years. Stanley is survived by Jeanne, his wife of 68 years, three daughters Maureen Sisti, Michele Jacobson and Melanie Dolan, and four grandchildren, Ashley Sisti and Aaron, Meredith and Tyler Jacobson. Friends may visit with the family at Pierce Funeral Home, 9609 Center Street, Manassas, VA on Thursday, July 23, 2015 from 6:30 – 8:30 pm and Friday, July 24, 2015 from 1:00 – 3:00 pm. A service will be held at Grace United Methodist Church, 9750 Wellington Road, Manassas, VA on Saturday, July 25, 2015 at 10:30 am. Private interment will take place at Quantico National Cemetery at a later date. Memorial donations may be made to the charity of your choice. Condolences may be sent to: [www.piercefh.com](http://www.piercefh.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Quantico National Cemetery

18424 Joplin Road  
Triangle, VA

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **23.** 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
(703) 257-6028  
pfh@piercefh.com  
<https://www.piercefh.com>

## Visitation

JUL **24.** 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Pierce Funeral Home  
9609 Center St.  
Manassas, VA 20110  
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## Service

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JUL **25**. 10:30 AM (ET)

Grace United Methodist Church  
9750 Wellington Road  
Manassas, VA 20110

# Tribute Wall

WI

“ *Our sincere condolences. You are in our prayers. God bless.*  
*The Wilsons*

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**wilsons** - July 24, 2015 at 06:01 PM

GF

“ *Stanley was a true Arlingtonian. My father Vinny and mother Blanche Kirchner loved you. You will be greatly missed by all who new you. Some of my fondest memories growing up included you. Your tall stature was just a start of how great a man you were to me. You spoke softly and firmly. All the vacations and wonderful family gatherings we were so lucky to have shared with you and your family. Each member of the Arlington community always will include you and your contribution. How fortunate we all are to have shared you with your wonderful family. Rest now and be at peace with all your dear friends. What an honor it is to have known you. Greg Kirchner and family grieves now with your loved ones. God Bless you , dear friend of ours.*

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**Greg Kirchner and family** - July 23, 2015 at 10:49 PM

GF

“ *Share a memory of William Stanley Fowler or send condolences to the family.*

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**Greg Kirchner and family** - July 23, 2015 at 10:30 PM

SM

“ *My thoughts and prayers with you all. Stan was my partner walking up for communion He always received me with a special welcome that made my day. U will be missed*  
*Sharron McDaniel*

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**sharron McDaniel** - July 23, 2015 at 09:57 PM

MB

“ Dear Jeanne & Family,  
So sorry about your loss. You and Stan were very good friends w/  
Mom & I.  
We enjoyed your friendship at church very much.  
Mom is also very ill, so I am thinking of you.  
Mary Baier

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Mary Baier - July 23, 2015 at 09:47 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for  
the family of William Stanley Fowler.



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July 23, 2015 at 08:48 AM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family  
of William Stanley Fowler.



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July 22, 2015 at 09:24 PM

CT

“ Stan was a very experienced vegetable gardener and shared his  
advice with me on how to grow onions. I had the best onions crop  
ever after following his advice to plant in the fall instead of spring. I  
loved seeing Jeanne and Stan at our wildflower meetings and I am  
so sad to hear of Stan's passing. He was a very special person and  
my thoughts and prayers are with Jean and the entire Fowler family.

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Carol Thompson - July 22, 2015 at 06:11 PM

KD

“ Karen D. purchased the Garden To Go Basket for the family of William Stanley Fowler.



Karen D. - July 22, 2015 at 02:19 PM

KD

“ Our heart felt sympathy go out to Jeanne, Maureen, Michele, and Melanie. We were so happy to have been able to spend Christmas Day, 2014, with the Fowler family. Many laughs, great food and wonderful memories. Stan will be sorely missed.  
With love from Charlie and Karen Dolan

Karen Dolan - July 22, 2015 at 01:06 PM

MO

“ STANLEY LOVED EVERY ONE.VERY EASY TO TALK TO.IT DID NOT MATTER WHO HE WAS TALKING TO.EVERY ONE WAS DRAWN TO HIM.A GRATE MAN

MIKE OROURKE - July 22, 2015 at 11:44 AM

MO

“ I NEVER FORGET SEEING UNCLE STANLEY AT REDSKINS GAMES.HIM AND HIS FRIENDS WERE AT THE MAIN GATE.HE WAS VERY INTO REDSKINS NATION.

MIKE OROURKE - July 22, 2015 at 11:26 AM

BA

“ Stan and I go back to the '40's when we were living in Lyon Village only two blocks apart. During those years we played in the Arlington County softball league. After many years apart, we reconnected at the Twin Lakes Golf Course in the '90's and have been playing together ever since. We have had a wonderful friendship and I will dearly miss him. He was a true friend.

*Bob Ambrogi*

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**Bob Ambrogi** - July 22, 2015 at 10:53 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of William Stanley Fowler.



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July 22, 2015 at 10:12 AM

RW

“ So sorry to hear about my Uncle Stanley! I have memories of him as a child always having many boxes of cookies at his home for all the kids! Rest in Peace! Sincerely Ruth Anne Wingo

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**Ruth Wingo** - July 22, 2015 at 09:19 AM

DS

“ We are sad to learn about Uncle Stanley's passing. He was kind and gentle, and I have great memories of him and Aunt Jean on visits with my father and mother. I remember him talking about baseball and the Redskins with my brothers. We are thinking of all of you at this sad and difficult time. Love, Donna Fowler Smith

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**Donna Fowler Smith** - July 21, 2015 at 09:52 PM